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EMPEROR OF JAPAN, MONARCH OF OLDEST DYNASTY OF WORLD, DECLARED TO BE DYING

CLIMAX NEAR IN NIPPONESE LIBERAL FIGHT

Death of Ruler May Mean End of Autocratic Regime in Japan

By JACK MASON, Manager, Far Eastern Bureau of The Newspaper Enterprise Association, at Shanghai, China.

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TOKIO, Japan, May 15.—Yoshihito, the mikado of Japan, is a dying man. He is the last of the dynasty autocrats. The czar is dead; the kaiser in exile; the emperor of Austria-Hungary is no more.

This is the first news of his desperate illness that has reached the world. No Japanese newspaper has even mentioned it; the law prohibits them from commenting on such matters relating to the royal family. But I have it today from the most reliable sources that he is now in his last illness and that it is only a question of a short time before this mikado will be gathered to his 121 fathers who have ruled Japan before him.

Affects His Brain
Emperor Yoshihito's condition is said to be pitiable. His ailment has affected his brain and he is incapable of attending to the simplest affairs of state, even if he is able to recognize those about him.

Only a few days ago, a great conference of imperial princes and elder statesmen was held to discuss the financial crisis in Japan. The conference did not go to the imperial villa at all. Unless Yoshihito was entirely incapable, no such meeting could have been held except under his chairmanship.

On April 15, new ministers from Great Britain, Mexico and Czechoslovakia presented their credentials. For the first time on such an occasion they were received by the crown prince in place of the emperor.

The stricken ruler is living at the imperial villa, located close to the beautiful seashore village of Hayama. The grounds are most carefully guarded and a heavy veil of secrecy has been drawn about Yoshihito, even inside the house itself, so that the facts of his deplorable condition shall not leak out. However, many stories of his unbalanced actions and habits are carried under the breath from place to place over the nation.

Facts About Mikado
It is possible that a regent may

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Ira Davis, Avery, Texas, writes: "I had a chronic sore on my foot for years and doctors said it would never heal without scraping the bone. One box of Allen's Ulcerine Salve drew out pieces of bone and lots of pus, and it healed up permanently." —Adv.



YOSHIHITO
H. I. M., the Emperor of Japan.

be appointed if death does not come shortly.

Emperor Yoshihito is about 41 years old. He ascended the Japanese throne in the summer of 1912 when his great father, Mutsuhito, died. Mutsuhito will always be famous as the emperor under whom Japan blossomed out of barbarism into civilization in a few decades.

Yoshihito is the 122nd emperor of Japan in direct line of succession, the dynasty being the oldest in the world. In fact, this ruling line runs back before Japanese written history; but Emperor Jimmu Tenno, who lived in 600 B. C., is generally accepted as the founder of the dynasty.

The average reign of the whole line is 29 years and seven mikados, the old title of the ruler, were women. Each mikado had a personal name, but no family name. Each also has a posthumous name by which he or she is known in history.

Mikado Means "Exalted Gate"
The title mikado, meaning "Exalted Gate," was the official designation of this sovereign for more than 2000 years and the name occurs in poetry and history through the whole range of Japanese literature.

The mikado was himself ruled for many centuries by a Shogun, a sort of prime minister, but in 1867 this high lord was done away with and the emperor became a real autocrat.

In Japan the government is a constitutional monarchy more like Germany was under the kaiser than respect of the masses of late years, has been gaining in importance and though there is a parliament which as England is under a king. All it is still very much subordinate to the ruler.

FOUR TRAITORS SHOT IN VINCENNES PRISON

PARIS, May 15.—Three men and one woman convicted last July of denouncing compatriots to German authorities during the occupation of Laon during the war were executed at Vincennes prison this morning. Those who met death were Teque, Lemoine, Herbert and Madame Aubert.

The coon is one of the hardest animals to photograph.

The emperor is really a screen behind which the representatives of the old feudal aristocracy, known as "Elder Statesmen," control the whole country, its politics and its economics.

In the old days, these elder statesmen were semi-independent princes, continually warring with each other and with the dominant shogun. In the half-century or more since Japan changed from barbarism, they have been bending every effort to keep the old aristocracy in control of the government. They have so far managed to hold down the franchise and retain the law making the government ministers responsible to the emperor and not to parliament.

Liberals Would Fight Regency
Moderates and liberals have been very active in Japan for 10 to 15 years, their greatest efforts being against militarism and to make the government responsible to parliament and therefore, responsible to the people.

The paragraph in Mason's dispatch that a regent may be appointed is significant. A regent would be appointed by the elder statesmen and their selection would stand with them for militarism and against people's rights.

The crown prince, Hirohito, who was 19 years old in April, is the legal successor to the throne. He has been a lieutenant in the navy and is said to have liberal views—liberal for a prince. If he is not appointed regent, will civil war follow, the people against the old feudal lords? And if so, will the result be a constitutional government on the order of England's or, indeed, a republic?

ASK GERMANS TO WORK AN EXTRA HOUR DAILY

BERLIN, May 1.—Germans are asked for an "extra hour of labor daily to save the fatherland," by Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, in an article in the Tageblatt.

Based on statistics, which indicate an average working day of 9½ hours, Dr. Dernburg calculates an eight-hour day will result in a loss of production of 27,000,000 marks annually, which if saved, he says, would procure food, clothes and raw materials in plenty and also insure a better rate of exchange.

17-CENT SUGAR GOES OUT FAST

What Small Supplies Grocers Get Goes Within the Day

Seventeen-cent sugar did not last very long. Busy housewives proved that they were not too busy to read the newspapers with the result that the allotment made by the Amalgamated Sugar company and dispensed to the trade through the jobbing houses was quickly picked up by the keen bargain hunters who rule Ogden households. It will save the patience of many a grocery man if no body asks for seventeen-cent sugar on Monday. There isn't any more to be had at that price.

TURKISH CANNON OUTRANGE GUNS USED BY FRENCH

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 15.—A French column of 3000 soldiers which left Killis, Asia Minor, May 9 to relieve the garrison at Aintab, about 30 miles north of Killis, was met by a strong nationalist force when ten miles from its destination and was compelled to return.

The nationalists were equipped with 1000 cannon, outranging the French 75s and kept up a continual attack upon the French.

Advices received here describe the situation at Killis as critical and that at Aintab as desperate.

CENSUS STATISTICS

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Seattle,

Wash., 315,652.

Trenton, N. J., 119,289.

Lincoln, Neb., 54,934.

Livingston, Mont., 6226.

Centennial, Wash., 7549; increase 238 or 3.3 per cent.

Clinton, Ill., 5898; increase 753 or 14.2 per cent.

Abilene, Texas, 10,274; increase 1970 or 11.6 per cent.

Cheltenham, Pa., 11,015; increase 5581 or 30.6 per cent.

Mobile, Ala., 60,124.

Raleigh, N. C., 24,418.

Increases—Seattle, 75,454, or 33.1 per cent.

Trenton, 22,474 or 23.2 per cent.

Lincoln, 10,961 or 24.9 per cent.

Livingston, 997 or 18 per cent.

Mobile, 8600 or 15.7 per cent.

Raleigh, 6200 or 27.3 per cent.

JAPAN'S ATTITUDE ON SIBERIA IS OUTLINED

WASHINGTON, May 15.—General OI, Japanese commander at Vladivostok, has issued a proclamation stating that Japan will not tolerate in any country close to Japan any political organization designed to interfere with world peace and to defy humanity. Its substance was reported today to the state department.

The proclamation declares Japan entertains no territorial ambitions in Siberia; has no intention of taking sides with any faction in Russia and would welcome any form of popular government.

Establishment of a neutral zone between the Japanese and Russian forces is required, the proclamation said, for the restoration of economic intercourse with Russia. Out of this neutral zone, to be erected around China would be developed eastern Russian autonomy in which the Japanese would not interfere and the consummation of which arrangement would make opportune the contemplated military evacuation of Siberia by the Japanese.

REPORT FOREST FIRES.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 15.—Forest fires were reported today in the district north of Craig, Itasca county, but information received at the state forester's office here indicated they had not reached alarming proportions.

AIR MAIL TO CHICAGO.

OMAHA, Neb., May 15.—Regular Omaha-Chicago mail service was inaugurated today when Pilot De Wald left at 1 o'clock for Chicago with 200 pounds of mail.

It takes from two and one-half to four days of properly cut a diamond.

SONG RECITAL ON WEDNESDAY

Pupils of Miss Ellen Thomas to Be Presented to the Public

Miss Ellen Thomas will present her pupils in a song recital Wednesday night, at 8:15 o'clock, at the Ogden Conservatory of Music in the Utah National bank building.

The program:
Still as the Night.....Bohn
Dawn (words by Cyril Hess).....Bohn
Garden of Roses.....Pearl G. Curran
Spring.....Louise Lady.....Elliot
Enchanted Hour.....H. Moulton
Miss Adelaide Ashton
Serenade.....O. Speaks
A-Whispering.....Mana Zucca
Sea Fever.....Trehanne
Golden Bingham
I Heard a Thrush at Eve.....Cadman
Wing Song.....Rogers
The Stars.....Rogers
Miss Maythel Allen
Violin Solo—
Miss Dora Smith, accompanied by
Mrs. Louise Pierce Martinau.

The Dew is on the Clover.....Coombs
Spring Song and Canoe Song from
Cadman's opera.....Shanewis
Mrs. Clyde Lindsay
Sing a Song of Roses.....Fay Foster
Wind of the West Land.....Fay Foster
Mrs. H. H. A. Beach
The Wee Butterfly.....Mana Zucca
Mrs. Melba Read Jones
Mother of Mine.....Tours
Short Cut to Rome.....Wallace Sabin
Golden Bingham

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MRS. FISKE IN OGDEN THIS WEEK



Mrs. Fiske is coming to Ogden after an absence of five years in her latest comedy, "Mis Nelly of N Orleans." This theatrical treat will be at the Orpheum, Wednesday night, May 19.

A. C. Horse Expert Returns From Idaho

LOGAN, May 15.—Dr. W. E. Carroll, animal husbandman for the Utah Agricultural college and experiment station, has just returned from a trip to Boise and Caldwell, Idaho, where he went to do some special inspection work for the Percheron Society of America.

Dr. Caldwell, who is also secretary of the state board of horse commissioners, has been called on to do special work of this kind in Idaho before where questionable animals or registries have been involved.

ROMANS CALL OFF STRIKE.

ROME, May 15.—Postal, telegraph and telephone services have now been resumed and all other strikes have been called off either through a satisfactory settlement or as the result of a truce which will hold until a new government is formed.

HE'D CUT DIVORCE BY MAKING 'EM WAIT

DALLAS—How to reduce divorce? Refuse hearing of a case until it has been on file six months; then decree a preliminary separation of a year, before final settlement. That's the advice of George Sergeant, attorney here.

CHOKED MAN BECAUSE HE TALKED TOO MUCH

(By International News Service.)
PEORIA, Ill.—Because Samuel H. Bailey talked so much it kept him awake at night John P. Dale told Peoria state hospital authorities where both were inmates, he choked Bailey to death.

Marine to Be Brought to Ogden for Trial

Corporal Leon S. Stacks, formerly of the "roving marines," is in jail at Salt Lake and will be served with a warrant from Ogden charging him with carnal knowledge, according to Captain Robert Burk of the local police department.

Beatrice Gordon, 15-year-old Pocahontas girl, will be brought to Ogden to appear against Stacks. It is stated, according to Captain Robert Burk, Stacks was with the girl in Pocahontas. She then came to Ogden, arriving here on the evening before the marine arrived. The following morning she met Stacks when he arrived here and until the time of her arrest, she was with or near him. It is alleged.

S. S. Institute to Be Held Here Wednesday

Institute for Sunday school workers will be held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A. M. Locker, field secretary of the International Sunday School association, and A. G. Frank, secretary of the Utah Sunday School association, will be the speakers at the evening session to start at 8 o'clock. The afternoon session will be devoted especially to the cradle roll, primary and junior work in the Sunday school.

The largest passenger airplane ever built, a Caproni, is fitted with equipment similar to a Pullman car and carries 30 people.